

HOUSE RESOLUTION 58

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A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Kay Senter on her selection as Teacher of the Year at East High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding teachers who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, Kay Senter is one such estimable educator, who has distinguished herself as a professional of the greatest dedication, ability, and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Senter has recently been selected Teacher of the Year by East High School, an honor most befitting her outstanding tenure as a teacher as it recognizes the positive influence she has had on so many young lives; and

WHEREAS, Kay Senter holds a Master's Degree, with thirty additional hours, from the University of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Senter has served with acumen and alacrity as an English teacher for 29 exemplary years; and

WHEREAS, she also serves as English Department Chair and Literacy Day Chair, and she is a member of the School Improvement Committee, the Portfolio Development Committee, the Writing Folder Development Committee, and the J.C. Freels Scholarship Committee; and

WHEREAS, Kay Senter is an extremely talented and compassionate educator who works assiduously to motivate her students to reach their full potential, both as scholars and as citizens; and

WHEREAS, in addition, Ms. Senter has held various offices in the Delta Kappa Gamma Honor Society for Women Teachers; and

WHEREAS, Kay Senter truly serves as an inspiration to her colleagues and students alike, and her friendship and counsel are highly valued by those who are fortunate to know her; and

WHEREAS, she has been duly recognized for her many years of stellar service as a member of the Girls Incorporated Hall of Fame and winner of the Bob Harbison Memorial Hall of Honor; and

WHEREAS, Kay Senter is a three-term member of the Morristown City Council, and she is a member and past President of the Hurricane Alumni Association; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Senter truly epitomizes the ideal of the dedicated teacher who is wholly committed to the highest ideals of public service and quality education for all, and she should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby honor and congratulate Kay Senter on being chosen as Teacher of the Year at East High School, commend her exceptional service to the children of Tennessee, salute her professional expertise and personal excellence, and wish her all the best in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.